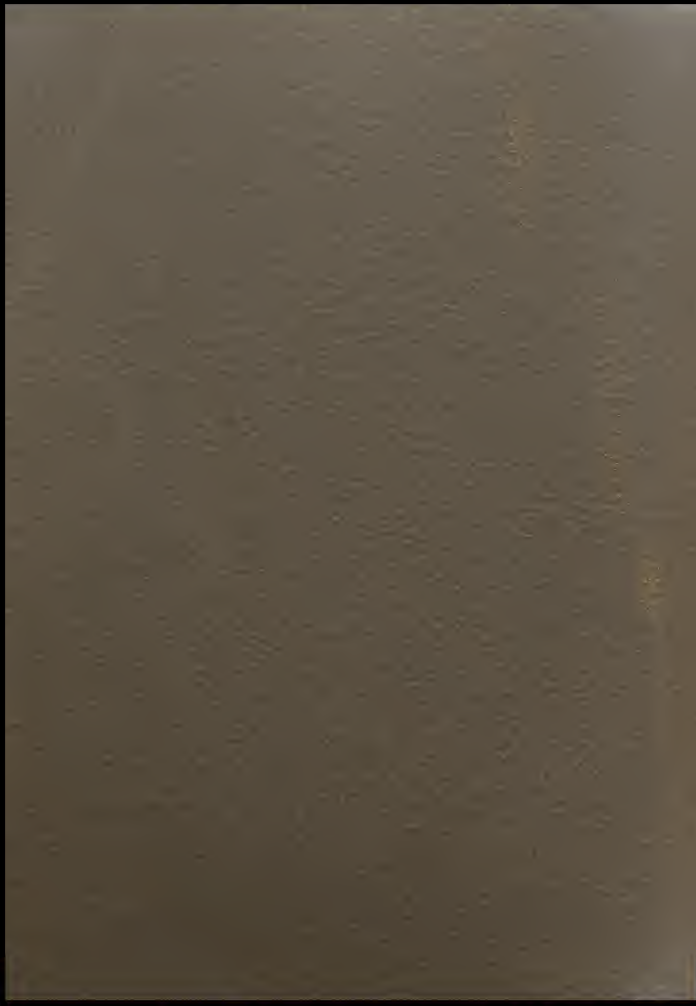


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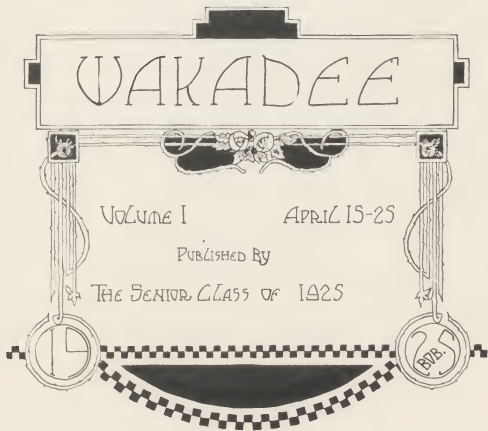
# WAKADEE

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THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1925



## FOREWORD

WE, the Senior Class of the Wakarusa High School, do not profess to be skilled in the art of bookmaking. We regret that the "Wakadee" is no better, and rejoice that it is no worse. Never once have we pretended that we would be able to produce a perfect annual, but we have struggled on and our work has not always been play.

To the Seniors of the Class of Nineteen hundred twenty-five the "Wakadee" is a mirror of their past and present high school course. To the undergraduates, faculty, and all, we hope it will be a means of uniting all. We have charity for all and malice toward none.

BLANCHE BRENNEMAN '25.



## DEDICATORY

To our parents who have taught us beautiful and wholesome truths, whose words have strengthened and encouraged us, who believed in us when perhaps others did not, and who still wish for us a successful future, we, the Senior Class of Nineteen hundred twenty-five, affectionately dedicate this annual, "The Wakadee."

RICHARD FREED '25



FACULTY





SAMUEL F. SCHWALM  
Trustee of Olive Township

## Administration and Faculty



C. J. GERBER, Principal  
Biological Sciences and  
Agriculture



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History, Economics, Civics

EDWARD A. STROPE  
Physics and General Science

ESTHER SEARER  
Latin and English



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Home Economics, Art, English

WALTER R. HOLDEMAN  
Mathematics

MAE KNISLEY  
Music

## GREETING

We, the twenty Seniors of the Class of Nineteen hundred twenty-five of the Wakarusa High School, wish to extend our best wishes to the readers of this Annual.

We take great pleasure in thanking you for your hearty cooperation, and feel confident that you will not be disappointed with "The Wakadee."

### Class Motto

"The higher we rise, the broader our view."

### Class Flowers

Red and White Carnations

### Class Colors

Crimson and White

Mr. Bowers—"As Elijah was standing on the brink of the river a fiery chariot came and took him to heaven."

Kenneth Kline—"Aw, wasn't there any aviators in them days?"

Freshman—"I smell cabbage burning."

Senior—"Then take your head away from that radiator."

Bernice got her hair cut,  
Bob got sore;  
Now Bernice doesn't like  
Her Bob any more.

Miss Searer—"What is Cooper's 'Mercedes of Castile' about?"

Richard W.—"Well, I don't know exactly, but it's something about a soap factory."

Student's Prayer Before Exam:

God of our fathers  
Be with us yet,  
Lest we forget—lest we forget—

Student's Prayer After Exams:

God of our fathers  
Was with us not,  
For we forgot—for we forgot.

Miss Searer in Latin—"When did Caesar defeat the greatest number?"

Ray Shank—"I think on examination day."

Mr. Strophe—"What's the idea of walking around at this time of night?"

Paul H.—"Taking air."

Mr. Strophe—"Doctor's orders?"

Paul H.—"No, girl's."

Mahlon—"Floy, are you still holding me guilty of having insulted you?"

Floy—"Yes, I have forgiven you seventy times seven, and I ain't going to forgive you four hundred and ninety-one times."

Miss Werntz in Civics—"Where do judges sit?"

Treva Brubaker—"In the pulpit,"

Mr. Bowers—"What is the law of divorce?"

Josephine M.—"When a man's wife is dead, he should get a divorce."

Joe Parcell—"I want permission to be away three days after Christmas vacation."

Mr. Gerber—"Oh, you want three days of Grace?"

Joe Parcell—"No-o, three more days of Delilah Frye."

Miss Searer in English IV.—  
"Well, we are not going to finish this until we are through."

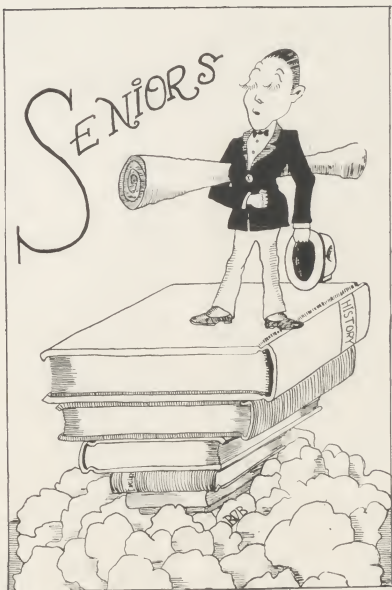
Mr. Gerber—"Kangaroos never fight."

Grace N.—"What are their tails for anyway?"

Treva—"I notice by this article that men become bald much sooner than women because of the intense activity of their brains."

Bob—"Yes, and I notice that women don't raise beards because of the intense activity of their chins!"







JOSEPHINE ELIZABETH MYERS

"Joe"

"A fair maiden you'll agree  
And let me put you wise:  
If once you fall in love,  
She's the type you'll idolize."

Glee Club '23-'25.

Shakespearean Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Girls' Reserve '25.

Social Editor.

PAUL LEVOY HOSTETTLER

"Polly"

He will awake some morning and  
find himself famous.

Glee Club

"Safety First" '22.

Athletic Association '21-'25.

Shakespearean Literary Society  
'23-'24.

Baseball '22-'25.

Basketball '22-'25.

Orchestra '23-'25.

President of Hi-Y Club '23-'25.

Class President '24-'25.

ROSA ELLEN WISE

"Rosie"

A very, very quiet girl  
Who speaks so soft and sweet  
And judging from her modesty  
You'll find her hard to beat.

Dramatic Club '21-'24.

Shakespearean Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Alumni Editor.



GRACE AGNES NUNEMAKER

"Gracie"

A little bit mischievous  
But never meaning wrong;  
As still as any cyclone—  
She studies all day long.

Glee Club '25.

Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

GLEN MERL COCANOWER

"Cokie"

All great men are dying and I'm  
not feeling well.

Athletic Association '21-'25.

Baseball '22-'25.

Basketball '23-'24.

"Bashful Mr. Boobs" '23.

"The House Next Door" '21.

Hi-Y Club '23-'25.

Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Dramatic Club '21-'22-'23-'24.

Sales Manager.

"A Couple of Million" '25.

FRANCES FERNE HUFFMAN

"Sis"

A little bit of sunshine

That's sure to make you glad

She models all that's good

And not a thing that's bad.

Pianist of orchestra at New

Carlisle, Ohio, '21-'23.

Whittier Literary Society '21-'23.

Play—"Burglar Alarm" '23.

Dramatic Club, Wakarusa '23-'24.

Pianist of Glee Club '23-'24.

Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Secretary of Senior Class '24-'25.

Glee Club '24-'25.

Literary Editor.

"A Couple of Million."



MADGE MARIE FLORY  
"Midget"

I'll be merry, I'll be glad,  
But one thing sure I'll not be sad.  
Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Dramatic Club '21-'24.  
Glee Club '24-'25.  
Latin Club, '23-'24.  
Girls' Reserve '24-'25.  
Business Manager.  
"A Couple of Million" '25.

ROBERT O. BECHTEL  
"Bob"

A wizard at studies, a wizard at  
at art;  
From the look on his face a wizard  
at heart.  
Orchestra '22-'25.  
Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Glee Club '24-'25.  
Hi-Y Club '23-'25.  
Athletic Association '21-'25.  
Art Editor.  
Dramatic Club '22-'23.  
President of Freshman Class  
'21-'22.  
"A Couple of Million" '25.

FLOY NAOMI BOWERS  
"Peggy"

A girl that helps us out  
Whene'er we need a friend;  
She never asks a favor  
But has them all to lend.  
Dramatic Club '21-'25.  
Latin Club '23-'24.  
Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.  
Glee Club '24-'25.  
Calendar Editor.  
"A Couple of Million" '25.



ADA PAULINE COPENHAVER  
"Skinny"

She answers puzzling questions  
That make us sit and wonder,  
For in all her recitations

She seldom makes a blunder.  
Girls' Reserve '24-'25.  
Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Dramatic Club '23-'25.

Glee Club '24-'25.

Associate Editor and Joke Editor.  
"A Couple of Million."

JOHN C. ENDERS  
"Johnnie"

You cannot call him bashful  
You cannot call him bold,  
He goes to school to learn  
Whate'er he can be told.

Dramatic Club '21-'23.

Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Photographic Editor.

Hi-Y Club '23-'25.

Athletic Association '21-'24.

"House Next Door" '22.

BLANCHE IRENE BRENNEMAN  
"Slim"

A maiden never bold, of spirit so  
still and quiet.

Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Girls' Reserve '24-'25.



HARVEY W. WERNER

"Drifty"

Study is a dreary thing

I would I knew the remedy.

Athletic Association '22-'25.

Vice-President Freshman Class  
'22.

Baseball '21-'25.

Basketball '21-'25.

Hi-Y Club '23-'25.

Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

"A Couple of Million" '25.

TREVA MAY BRUBAKER

"Trixie"

Of all the indoor sports

Giggling is her choice;

She laughs so hard at times

I'm sure she strains her voice.

Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Glee Club '24-'25.

Dramatic Club '21-'25.

Senior Editor.

"A Couple of Million."

RICHARD FREED

"Hank"

Because a man doesn't talk is no  
sign he has nothing to say.

Athletic Association '21-'25.

Sec. and Treas. Athletic Assn.  
'23-'25.

Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Pres. of Literary Society '21-'22.

Orchestra '23-'24.

Hi-Y Club '23-'25.

Vice-President of Class '22-'23.

Glee Club '23-'25.

Sec. and Treas. of Glee Club.

"A Couple of Million" '25.



BERTHA MAY DAVIDHIZAR  
"Bertie"

Never a bit contrary  
Always quick to agree;  
She takes life as it comes  
Nor the future tries to see.  
Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

RICHARD E. WAGNER  
"Dick"

In passing by one day  
He merely stopped to look;  
He stayed till graduation  
But never bought a book.  
Hi-Y Club '24-'25.  
Baseball '21-'24.  
Basketball '21-'24.  
Track '21-'24.  
Shakespearian Literary Society  
'24-'25.  
Athletic Association '21-'25.

MAYTIE BERNICE PLETCHER  
She was just the quiet sort whose  
nature never varies.  
Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.



OWEN BEMIS LEONARD

"Shorty"

Always up and on the go,  
Every day he's full of pep;  
He's on the way to Congress  
Progressing step by step.

Athletic Association '21-'25.

"House Next Door" '22.

"Safety First" '23.

Shakespearian Literary Society,  
'23-'25.

President of Literary Society  
'23-'24.

President of Sophomore Class  
'22-'23.

President of Junior Class '23-'24.

Hi-Y Club '23-'25.

"Bashful Mr. Bobs" '24.

"A Couple of Million" '25.

Winner of "Lincoln Essay Medal"  
'25.

CARL H. HUNSBERGER

"Kelly"

The teachers won't miss him in  
classes—

But Carl surely ought to come  
back,

For what in the world will ever  
become

Of basket ball, baseball, and  
track?

Athletic Association '21-'25.

Baseball '22-'25

Basketball '22-'25.

Hi-Y Club '23-'25.

Shakespearian Literary Society  
'23-'25.

Athletic Editor.



## CLASS VOYAGE OF 1925

It was the fourth day of September, 1921, and a calm peaceful day in autumn when the good ship Wakarusa High School stood at anchor at the wharf of a new school year. It was the same old ship that had carried many passengers to safe harbor in the land of great wisdom. This day was especially great in its history and many people gazed upon it in wonder as they watched fifty-five Freshmen step aboard to set sail over new and untried waters in quest of the Fountain of Understanding.

So it was with hopeful hearts and smiling faces that we bade our friends in the grammar grades adieu and waved our hands for joy as we steamed away, actually embarked for a four years' journey on the voyage of High School Life.

We were young and socially inclined, therefore it did not take us long to become acquainted with our fellow passengers. Our crew in the Freshman year was: Pilot, Robert Bechtel; Assistant Pilot, Harvey Werner; Purser, Mary Billman; and Captain, Miss Searer. We selected crimson and white as our colors.

Our fears were entirely wiped away in the assurance that so able a crew had us in their charge. There were naturally a few cases of seasickness and various ones were tempted to throw up algebra and Latin and other disagreeable dishes and toss some of their best belongings overboard when the sea was rough, but the captain assured them calmly but firmly that they would have to consume these indigestibles over and over until they were perfectly assimilated. So they bravely managed to hold them down. At this time another member joined our number, Alta Warren, who came from Michigan. We inquired of the captain concerning the significance of our voyage. She explained to us that the Voyage of High School Life was in reality to be over four seas, though the four bodies of water were so closely related that they seemed but one immense sea. She informed us that we had just entered upon the first and smallest sea, the Freshman Sea.

In the latter part of April our ship landed at a small island, Vacation, where we all disembarked for a period of four months.

Again in September, 1922, the ship set sail from the island into the Sophomore Sea with thirty-four members aboard. A new member, Mabel Pepple, joined our crew, while a large number decided to quit traveling. This was a joyous and prosperous year for all on board.

In the spring we again disembarked at an island only to be ready in a few months to set sail in the Junior Sea. This year there were twenty-three members in our crew. Our officers were: Pilot, Owen Leonard; Assistant Pilot, Paul Hostettler; Purser, Mabel Pepple; and Captain, Mr. Gerber. This year Ferne Huffman joined our crew. We chose as our motto: "The higher we rise the broader our view." The crimson and white car-

nations were selected as our class flowers. We gave a successful banquet to those who were on the Senior Sea.

After eight months' voyage, we rested for four months before we embarked on the Senior Sea. Two of our former members, Mary Billman and Mabel Pepple, boarded the ship of Matrimony but Richard Wagner a storm-tossed sailor was picked up, making our crew twenty strong. The following were chosen to serve as our officers. Pilot, Paul Hostettler; Assistant Pilot, Glen Cocanower; Purser, Ferne Huftman; and Captain, Mr. Gerber.

During this year we collected the chronicles of our voyage and decided to record them in a Yearbook. The names, faces, and records of illustrious deeds accomplished will be found in the pages of this book. We also presented a play "A Couple of Million" late in the days of our voyage.

The port, Commencement, at which we all expect to safely land, lies just ahead. While the voyage of High School Life will be at an end, we must realize that the voyage of Real Life is just now and here at its triumphant commencement.

ROSA WISE AND JOSEPHINE MYERS '25.

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### CLASS POEM

I had a dream wherein appeared  
Things which had been and were to be,  
And when the mists away had cleared  
A marvelous wonder I did see:  
A Band, perhaps some fifty strong,  
Was marching on in war array,  
But naught of armor had they on,  
And books were weapons in their fray.  
Their path, a narrow way on which  
Were milestones four, a year apart,  
Was bordered by a murky ditch  
Named Failure, cruel and without heart  
Each year their books away they cast  
And quickly seized another load.  
Alas! some could not march so fast—  
These fell into the trench beside the road.  
And when the Band the fourth stone passed,  
They numbered twenty, just one score.  
Each burden greater than the last  
Made them weary, worn, and sore.  
I gazed ahead and soon espied  
A castle, strong beyond a doubt,  
Where clouds of Trouble did almost hide

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The stronghold which this band must rout.  
The name I saw in letters writ  
Above the gate in blazing gold  
'Twas "Ignorance," and lord of it  
Was Indolence, a giant bold.  
And just beyond the castle, ran  
Like bands of silver broad and clear  
The Road of Life, and no one can  
Upon this gleaming road appear  
Until this castle conquered be.  
The Band marched on. Above them flew  
A standard, bright and fair to see,  
"The higher we rise, the broader our view,"  
Was written thereon in crimson and white  
And onward they pressed, determined to win  
Adorned with carnations, the emblems of power,  
Prepared for the struggle, and armed for the din.  
And now they reached the castle grim;  
With all the courage for the strife  
Their books had given, to conquer him  
Who barred them from the Road of Life.  
But lo! as still they sought for Fame,  
The castle and its master dread  
Grew dim and vanished, and they came  
Upon the Road of Life instead.  
And then I saw their faces clear  
Rejoicing with gladness as they did arrive.  
I recognized my classmates dear:  
The faithful Band, O class of twenty-five.

MADGE FLORY, '25  
FLOY BOWERS, '25



## CLASS SONG

To our Wakarusa High School  
To our Alma Mater we sing  
Our hearts are thine forever  
Thine our grateful offering;  
And tho' years may bear us far  
Where e'er we be, we'll  
Sing thy praises as to-day  
And think again of thee.

Climbing higher ever onward—  
Yes, truth will conquer all,  
Loyal followers we will be  
Of this great noble call.  
"Climbing higher" still our aim  
And failure we deny.  
We'll higher raise the fame  
Of Wakarusa High.

To our Wakarusa High School  
Loyal we will ever stand,  
To uphold and defend  
Thy name o'er all the land.  
On our faithfulness to duty  
You may safely e'er rely  
We pledge it with this cheer  
For Wakarusa High.

Words and music were  
composed by

FERNE HUFFMAN, '25

## CLASS WILL

We, the Class of Nineteen hundred twenty-five of the Wakarusa High School, of the County of Elkhart, in the State of Indiana, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby declare this to be our last will and testament in the name of the Lord, Amen.

Feeling that our first duties are to our creditors, since they have had the courage to give use credit, we direct that all claims be paid in full after which the residue of our estate shall be divided as follows:

Item 1. We hereby set aside the sum of five dollars (\$5.00) to be used for the purchasing of revivifiers, pulmotors, and the like, to be used on the school in general after our retirement, as we are not at all unaware of the shock said retirement will occasion the school.

Item 2. We do give and bequeath our dear and beloved Faculty members to the high school students of the coming years. They have toiled hard for us and have lost many hours of sleep because of us. All of them have done their duty and verily now they should have their well-earned reward.

Item 3. We bequeath the privilege of being honored guests at the Junior-Senior Banquet and all the other funeral ceremonies (as well as other ceremonies) to our sister class, the Juniors.

Item 4. Furthermore we do give and bequeath to our sister class our Lincoln Essays and Book Reviews to be used for reference work in case there shall be a great demand for reference material next year.

Item 5. To the Sophomore class we bequeath our wonderful intellectual powers, which have brought us to our present enviable position.

Item 6. To the Freshmen lambs through Mr. Strobe as their worthy guardian, we bequeath a sum of money sufficient to purchase go-carts, toys, etc., and to hire nurses who will be in constant attendance upon those mites of humanity. As a special bequest we set aside one dollar (\$1.00) with which to purchase one high-chair for the special use of one, Harley Stump. Mr. Strobe is to use his good judgment in selecting said chair.

Item 7. We give to Mr. Bowers, a member of our beloved and esteemed faculty, all marbles which have been rolled, thrown, shot, dropped or otherwise set into motion during the periods when the morals and manners of the north assembly room were under his guidance.

Item 8. To Miss Werntz and Miss Searer we bequeath the balance left in our treasury to be used in buying rubber shoes for detective work. We feel sure they will need them in dealing with the succeeding classes.

Item 9. To the faculty we give and bequeath all the amazing knowledge and startling information that we have furnished them from time to time in our various tests and examinations. If said faculty sees fit, they are hereby authorized to give out such nuggets of this valuable informa-

tion to the world as they may feel that the world may stand in need of knowing and is able to receive.

Item 10. To all future Senior classes of Wakarusa we give and bequeath the name "Wakadee" to be used as a name for their annuals. Furthermore this bequest should be remembered as a dowry from the Senior class of Nineteen hundred twenty-five.

Item 11. We give and bequeath to the people of Olive Township the old high school building, in which stands the old and faithful piano, desks, and chairs, upon which our monograms are engraved, the old maps, clocks, calendars, broken off pencils, scraps of books, worn-out notebooks, etc.

Item 12. We bequeath the following personals to wit:

Article 1. To Ruby Myers, one-third of Rosa Wise's bashfulness.

Article 2. To Joe Parcell, John Enders' ability to sleep in English class.

Article 3. To Bertha Yoder, Josephene Myers' compact to be used as she sees fit.

Article 4. To Mae Yoder, Ferne Huffman's troubles as secretary of the class.

Article 5. To Harold Rohrer, Robert Bechtel's ability to fall in love with a Junior girl.

Article 6. To Harold Ritter, Maytie Pletcher's ability to concentrate on her lessons.

Article 7. To Mary Longenecker, Grace Nunemaker's excess bashfulness.

Article 8. To Clark Farber or Abner Brown, Carl Hunsberger's habit of skipping school.

Article 9. To Dwight Hartman, Glen Cocanower's business of giving basket ball reports on Monday morning.

Article 10. To anyone in need of patterns Blanche Brenneman will give her notes which she received from Herbert Copenhagen. Apply early and avoid the rush.

Article 11. To Mildred Myers, Ada Copenhagen's English ability.

Article 12. To Lulu Culp, Treva Brubaker's ability to giggle.

Article 13. Paul Hostettler wills his violin to Abner Brown as he intends to join Sousa's band and cares no longer for his present violin.

Article 14. Richard Freed wills his famous nickname "Gowdy" to Mahlon Hartzler.

Article 15. Owen Leonard wills his ability to keep girls away from him to Ray Shank.

Article 16. Bertha Davidhizar gives and bequeaths to Carl Maurer, her knack of concentrating in her studies.

Article 17. Madge Flory wills her art of blushing when talking to boys to Miriam Eby.

Article 18. Floy Bowers wills her English ability and love of reading to Norman Fish.

Article 19. Richard Wagner wills his knowledge of aviation to Raymond Yoder as Richard has decided upon another line of work for his life work, namely that of a politician.

Article 20. Harvey Werner wills all his basket ball paraphernalia, even including his reputation as a star to Kenneth Shutts, provided said Kenneth Shutts does not grow any larger.

Witness this day our hand and seal to this our last will and testament:  
CLASS OF 1925.

Witnesses:

Mr. C. J. Gerber

Miss Werntz.

Justice of the Peace,

The Sophomore Class.

TREVA BRUBAKER '25

GRACE NUNEMAKER '25

### CLASS PROPHECY

I had tarried too long at a meeting of the Seniors, and as I started homeward night overtook me. Rain began to fall too and I lost my way. I wandered aimlessly through the streets, yet I thought not of the darkness and rain, for a burden was on my heart. I strove and strained to look forward ten, twenty, or thirty years and discover the future of my fellow-students.

While deeply engrossed in thought, there was a sudden flash of light, a deep crash of thunder. At once I seemed to see the moon and stars shining overhead and the lights gleaming from dozens of shops and stores along a wide street. I was amazed, dumbfounded. Where was I? I turned aside and walked into a new school building. On picking up a paper from a table in the library, I read the headlines and below that "Wakarusa, Indiana, April 23, 1955."

I glanced up from the paper only to see three honored gentlemen apparently quite interested in conversation about their latest inventions. One of them I recognized as our former class president, Paul Hostettler. He was telling of the wonderful invention he had made in the discovery of antiseptic glue and a great explosive which would act only by means of a certain process of thought. Another I recognized as Owen Leonard, who had been a partner in a Mercantile firm in New York City and was widely known as a favorite among the ladies and a "jolly good fellow" among the men. The third was Richard Wagner who had just returned from a tour in Europe with a concert company as bass soloist.

"Wonder why Robert never comes up any more," remarked one.

"Oh, he's too busy with his painting. Aren't his pictures great? Why he leaves Bonheur or Turner in the dark," said Paul laughing.

Soon they went out, turning off the lights as they went, and I was left in darkness. Suddenly a bright light began to shine around me and I seemed to be in a large fashionable church listening to a beautiful anthem sung by a choir of a hundred girls led by Ferne Huffman. I remembered then that she had begun as choir mistress in old Waka high. At the organ sat Floy Bowers, now an accomplished organist. In the audience sat Rosa Wise with a well known face beside her—the once ardent baseball fan, Harvey Werner.

The scene changed and in a small brick schoolhouse far out in Alaska, I saw a teacher whom I knew at once was Treva Brubaker. I perceived that she must be a very good teacher from her wonderful air of self-possession.

After a long search I found John Enders living on a farm and trying to farm and keep house successfully as a bachelor, for he had been too bashful to woo and win a wife.

I stopped at a large millinery shop in Wakarusa where Josephene Myers, the milliner, greeted me. At once we began to talk of old times. I learned that Bertha Davidhizar and Grace Nunemaker had found that the easiest and most natural thing to do was to get married, but Madge Flory chose rather to use her wonderful knowledge of cooking in teaching other girls the domestic art in the new high school building.

Then I passed along the streets of Wakarusa. Before me I read a sign "Drug Store" and glancing inside, I saw the proprietor, Carl Hunsberger, sitting with his feet propped on his desk and his head resting on the back of his chair.

In an instant the scene changed and I seemed to be on a steamer out in mid ocean bound for Europe. With wonder I watched the operator of the wireless, Glen Cocanower, signalling to the vessels miles and miles away.

"And, Blanche Brenneman, where is she?" I asked.

"Oh, she's down in Oklahoma teaching little Indians," replied Glen.

When I reached England I visited the Royal Palace. There in the private theatre rivalry reigned supreme. Maytie Pletcher was playing the star role as Queen Hopeless in the musical comedy "Laughing Is Catching." I had become completely wrapped up in the play when suddenly there was a great tongue of flame sweeping from the balcony to the main floor, a terrified cry of "Fire! Fire!" a wild rush—and again I was wandering in the darkness and rain, marveling at the strange things which I had seen. After what seemed an age, faint streaks of red appeared in the east which told me that dawn was approaching and brought me welcome relief.

ADA COPENHAVER '25  
MAYTIE PLETCHER '25





### THE STAFF

- Paul Hostetler, Editor-In-Chief  
Ferne Huffman, Literary Editor  
Richard Wagner, Associate Editor  
Rosa Wise, Alumni Editor  
Treva Brubaker, Senior Editor
- Josephine Myers, Social Editor  
Carl Hunsberger, Athletic Editor  
Floy Bowers, Calendar Editor  
Ada Copenhaver, Wit and Humor  
Robert Bechtel, Art Editor
- John Enders, Photographer  
Madge Flory, Business Manager  
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# WAKADEE



## BOB, THE BOOK AGENT

Mr. Halman was seated at his desk in the office of Wood's Clothing Store in Chicago one bright sunny October afternoon. He was idly day-dreaming, building air castles about his Betty and himself living happily in a fine home of their own. Betty was his lady friend whom he hoped to win for his own the following evening. He was just thinking about taking some beautiful gift to present to her when—the telephone rang. Bob Halman jumped to his feet in surprise, having been awakened so suddenly from his day-dream.

He took down the receiver and said, "Wood's Clothing Store."

At once he recognized the voice of the caller as that of Betty.

"Hello, Betty. I was just thinking of you."

"Well, I hope you were thinking something good about me."

"Yes, I was just thinking of my intended visit to you to-morrow evening."

"That's just why I called you. We have moved since your last call. Our new home is at 1731 Marmion Street. I would like to have you come to my home this evening for six-o'clock dinner. Oh, I do hope you can come!"

"Thank you, Betty. I can come if the boss lets me off in time. I believe he will."

"Thank you, Bob. Remember my address, and be sure to come early."

Bob hung up the receiver gently, yet anxiously. "I must get Betty that book of Eleanor Porter's named 'Dawn' that she was speaking about. She loves to read and that will please her I know."

Just then the boss came in and told Bob he would give him the afternoon off, before Bob even had a chance to approach him with the question. Now that just suited Bob. He wasted no time but went to the nearest bookstore, purchased the book, and boarded a street car that would take him to 1721 Marmion Street (for he was sure that was the address she had given him.)

After a few minutes' ride he reached the place. He rapped at the door of house No. 1721. There was no response. He knocked again and after the third attempt, he heard someone walking in the house, and judging from the sound, the person must have weighed about two hundred pounds or more.

"I'll be down in a minute" said a hoarse voice. Of course he thought it must be some servant.

Soon the door was opened and a very untidy looking lady bade him enter. What was he to do? He realized that this was not the place; but surely it was the address she had given him. He thought of the book he was carrying.

"Say-er-er, I came to see whether you would like to buy one of the

most modern books on the market. I'm sure you would like to read it. It's about Keith, a boy who becomes blind, etc."

"No, I don't read books. I only wish you would go somewhere else to sell your book."

Bob left as quickly as he could. What a relief to get away from that place but where did Betty live? He stepped up to the policeman and inquired where John M. Morehouse lived.

"On down the street at number 1731" was the policeman's reply.

After thanking him, Bob went on his way again and soon found Betty's home. They surely had a good laugh about Bob's experience as an impromptu book agent.

TREVA BRUBAKER '25.

## A POME

(With apologies to E. A. Poe.)

See the movement of the jaws,

Busy jaws,

What a wad of chewing-gum

Each cheerful chewer chaws!

Each one chews it, chews it, chews it,

With a never-ending zest—

O! how they enjoy it

And their jaws never rest—

Keeping time, time, time,

Without rhythm, without rhyme

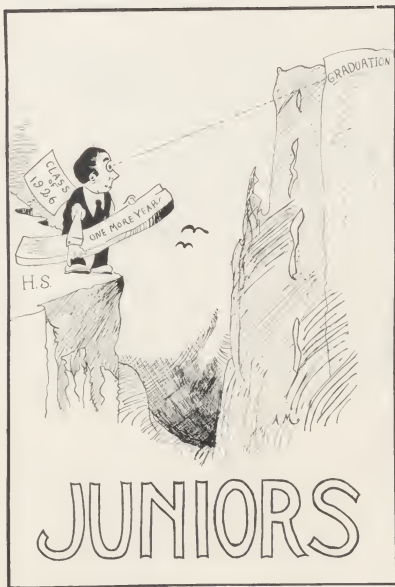
They are chewing, chewing, chewing

And there isn't any pause

Of the jaws, jaws, jaws

Of the chewing and the chawing of the jaws.

—R. WAGNER, '25





JUNIOR CLASS

TOP ROW—Mahlon Hartzler, Dwight Hartman, Kenneth Shutts, Floran Maurer, Paul Parcell, Eldon Martin, Joe Parcell, Kenneth Kline.

MIDDLE ROW—Ray Shank, Bertha Yoder, Mildred Myers, Mae Yoder, Harold Rohrer, Herbert Copenhaver, Carl Maurer, Mr. Strobe.

BOTTOM ROW—Ferne Martin, Berniece Weaver, Alma Mullett, Augusta Lehman, Ruby Myers, Virginia Freed, Pauline Weaver, Edna Weldy.

## JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

One day, during the first week of September, 1922, a group of boys and girls entered the Wakarusa High School as "Freshies."

The class was organized with the election of the following officers: President, Floran Maurer; Vice-President, Harold Rohrer; Secretary, Lulu Pletcher; Yell Leader, Olive Rohrer; Sponsor, Supt. C. J. Gerber.

Later in the same year we selected the American Beauty Rose as the class flower, and "Work and Win" for our motto. Purple and gold were selected colors for the pennant. We had a very successful year.

In 1923 we returned as Sophomores. The officers which we elected were: President, Joe Parcell; Vice-President, Ray Shank; Secretary, Virginia Freed; Sponsor, Miss Esther Searer. In one of our earliest class-meetings we decided to change our class colors to Coral and Ash. Later we purchased a pennant and arm bands.

A large number of our class has dropped out of the ranks, leaving twenty-one Juniors in the class of 1924-1925. Our officers at present are: President, Ray Shank; Vice-President, Paul Parcell; Secretary, Ruby Myers; Sponsor, Mr. E. A. Strobe.

As Juniors we put on the play "The Prairie Rose," which was quite a success.

We are looking forward to our Senior year with pleasure, hoping we will graduate—twenty-one strong.

—VIRGINIA FREED, '26

## HASTE MAKES WASTE

"Phyllis, let's write a story!" exclaimed Elnora, glancing up from the magazine she was reading.

"Whatever put such an idea into your head, Sis?"

"Why, Phyllis," returned Elnora, "it's a perfectly brilliant idea. This magazine offers a prize of three hundred dollars for the best story sent in by any one of its readers. Please, let's try it."

"Go ahead and write it yourself," crossly replied Phyllis, who was a Senior and therefore couldn't be bothered by such trifling matters.

"All right, Miss Smarty, wait until I receive a check for three hundred dollars. Then you'll wish you had descended from your perch."

Miss Phyllis slightly shrugged her shoulders and left the room. Shut up in her own room upstairs she thought things over. Three hundred dollars! What a lot that would buy! Of course she could not write a story with Elnora, but she could write one alone and she would.

She went to her desk at once, occupying herself for an hour, alter-

nately chewing her pencil and scribbling away at a rapid rate. The next day she mailed the story, then confidently awaited the arrival of the three hundred dollar check.

Elnora said no more about writing a story, but every minute of her spare time was spent in her room where she thought and wrote. Her story left the small town post office only a few days after her sister's, but Elnora had put much more intensive study and careful work upon her story than her sister had put on her story.

The ensuing weeks were weeks of anxious waiting for both girls, although nothing was said by either one on the subject. The contest was to be decided the first of the month. After the day when the winner was to be decided upon was past, Phyllis made it her business to go to the post-office for the mail every day.

Finally the expected letter arrived. Phyllis was so excited she threw the remainder of the mail into her mother's lap and ran up the stairs. After locking her door, she dropped into the nearest chair and opened the envelope. This is what she read:

"Dear Madam:

In compliance with your request when you mailed us your story, we are returning the copy. We are very sorry we could not give it a higher place. We hope you may have success in the future.

Sincerely yours,

—HENRY M. EVANS."

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Mother glanced over the mail which her eldest daughter had given her and was surprised to see an envelope addressed to Elnora for a letter for her was so unusual. Mother opened the letter. A check for three hundred dollars fell into her lap as she drew out the contents of the envelope.

"Surely," she thought when she noticed it, "this must be a mistake."

However, when she read the letter, she understood. Carrying it to Elnora, she watched her daughter's face as she read.

"I'm so glad, mother!" she exclaimed when she had finished, "Because this will buy you so many things."

"But, child, the money is yours."

"No, mother, it's all for you, the best mother any girl ever had."

Phyllis received the news at the supper table and as Elnora threw her arms about her sister, Phyllis forgot her bitterness and shared the joy of the family. Her own failure remained a secret.

Elnora's cup of joy was filled to overflowing when she received an offer of the same amount for any other story she might send to the same publishers.

—PAULINE WEAVER, '26







SOPHOMORE CLASS

TOP ROW—Norman Fish, Clarke Farber, Merl Schwalm, James Um-mel, Jesse Wise, Russel Sloat, Harold Ritter, Maurice Hartman, Carl Weldy, Glen Weldy.

SECOND ROW—Raymond Yoder, Edna Miller, Ethel Loucks, Miriam Eby, Virginia Green, Beulah Werner, Alva Culp, Mary Ellen Culp, Kath-rine Bowers, Mr. Holdeman.

THIRD ROW—Mildred Wagner, Berniece Detweiler, Hazel Blocher, Lulu Culp, Agnes Loucks, Amanda Brenneman, Florence Blocher, Ruth Kent.

FOURTH ROW—Abner Brown, Harry Hostetler, Albert Pletcher, Maurice Doering, Ward Leatherman, Earl Eby, Floyd Metzler.

## SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

In September, 1923, we entered Wakarusa High School as Freshmen, the largest beginning class in the history of the high school. There were fifty-nine of us in number. During the first week four students dropped out, but those remaining soon organized, holding a class meeting and electing the following officers: President, Harold Ritter; vice-president, David Huber; secretary, Virginia Green; treasurer, Beulah Werner; sergeant-at-arms, Maurice Doering; sponsor, Mr. W. R. Holdeman. Later on we chose our class colors of black and gold, and purchased a pennant and arm bands.

Among the interesting events of the year was a weiner roast held at the school house, the evening of September seventeenth. Those present reported a delightful time.

Quite a few of our classmates did not return this fall, consequently when we organized, assuming the name and responsibilities of Sophomores, our number was much smaller. A few new students joined our ranks, having come from surrounding communities. The class roll consists of thirty-three.

We, again, chose Mr. W. R. Holdeman for our sponsor and elected the following officers for the year: President, Beulah Werner; secretary and treasurer, Harry Hostettler.

Early in the fall we held a class party at Letherman's Grove. The party was quite well attended. The evening was spent in playing games and having a social time.

—HAZEL V. BLOCHER, '27

## AROUND THE WORLD

After the World War there were many battleships that were of no use to the government any more. Twenty of us, members of the Wakarusa High School, decided to take an ocean trip around the world. We succeeded in accumulating enough money to buy one of these old battleships and fit it out with the necessary equipment for the voyage.

New engines were put in the ship and a few cannons were left on board since they might be needed in fighting cannibals in the South Sea Islands. We made a gun especially for catching whale. This gun shot an arrow on which was fastened a strong line to be used for pulling in the whale after the arrow had pierced its body.

The voyage began at Elkhart on the St. Joseph river. We went through the Great Lakes and out into the Atlantic Ocean by way of the St. Lawrence.

The first part of the voyage proved to be less exciting than the last part, although we had a few narrow escapes. Several times we came very near running into icebergs but having a good commander we steered clear of them.

After fifteen days, we reached the Indian Ocean. Here we encountered heavy seas. Storms raged most of the time. Finally the captain concluded that the trouble was caused on account of someone at fault on board the ship. Accordingly lots were cast and it happened that Harold Rohrer was found to be the guilty one. Many suggestions concerning the method of dealing with him, were given but we decided at length to throw him overboard. This was done without further deliberation.

After this the storm ceased but there were many other hardships. We were without food and water. Many times we attempted to go on islands but we were always attacked by the natives, who were for the most part cannibals by nature. When everyone became so weak that the ship could not be handled we drifted for something like thirty days. When we recuperated enough to realize what was going on about us, we found that we had been driven into the harbor of San Francisco.

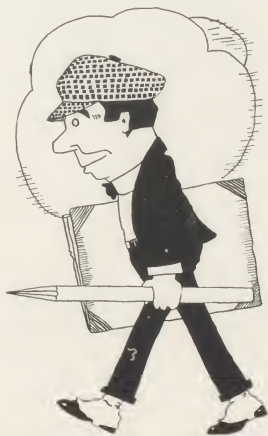
A number of days were spent in the city of San Francisco. Then the ship was loaded with supplies and we started for home.

As we were steaming up the St. Lawrence some of us saw a partly submerged object far out in the water. Looking through the spy-glass, we learned that it was a monstrous whale. Hastily we made use of our whaling gun, the arrow pierced the whale's body and after a hard struggle we got the whale on board the ship.

Some of us began at once to cut up the whale for it was so large and inconvenient. We intended to place the skeleton in the new museum at the Wakarusa Community School Building. Imagine our surprise when we found Harold Rohrer sitting on the inside of the whale! He greeted us with "Hello there, boys! Aren't we about home?"

With one voice we answered "Yes."

—MERL SCHWALM, '27



FRESHMEN



FRESHMAN CLASS

TOP ROW—Kenneth Bowers, Harold Stickel, Russel Eby, Ivan Culp, Howard Loucks, Myron Weldy, Harley Stump, Gerald Hunsberger.

SECOND ROW—Miss Litweiler, Martha Hunsberger, Mary Leinhart, Ida Flickinger, Dorthy Detweiler, Ferne Weaver, Thomas Pletcher.

THIRD ROW—Matilda Fish, Audrey Shank, Mary Longenecker, Ella Longenecker, Ella Martin, Bertha Zimmerman, Elsie Hartman, Florence Shank, Pearl Hahn.

FOURTH ROW—Dale Yoder, Albert Canen, Mervin Culp, Virgil Weldy, Aaron Martin.

## FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY

In the ninth month and on the first day of the month, nineteen hundred twenty-four, it came to pass on this wise that the Freshman Class came to dwell in the high school of Wakarusa. And the number of them that came to dwell therein was twenty and seven.

And many that came to dwell in this new land were brought forth from the country, fresh and green, yea verily! But they pitched their tents with zeal and boldness in this new found land, and looked not to one side or the other but toiled faithfully at their tasks, so that the Faculty said, "Lo! it is good that the Freshman Class has come to abide with us!" Selah.

And it came to pass that they gathered themselves together into one place and chose from among their number Harley Stump as First Ruler, and he was filled with wisdom and zeal. Likewise they chose from their midst, Gerald Hunsberger as Second Ruler and he too was filled with a mighty zeal. And they chose a Scribe also, one talented in the art of handwriting, Pearl Hahn. And there came forth from among them one, Florence Shank, filled with wisdom and understanding, and into her hand was given all the treasures of the class that she might look to them faithfully and with much diligence. Then they chose one, Lillian Litweiler, skilled in learning and understanding, that she might guide the class with all sobriety safely in this new land.

And they chose as an emblem the banner of white and green: the white, which signifies purity and the green, which signifies growth; the symbol to show forth their allegiance to one another.

Now it came to pass that after many fearful days they assembled with one accord in a place called Letherman's Grove. In that hour they rejoiced with exceeding gladness and feasted with much merriment, so that it was said by them, "It is indeed good for us to have met with one another."

Yea, the joys and sorrows of the Freshman Class are many and without number. But steadfastly and unceasingly they toil on and on until their grief becomes as nothingness compared with the glory that is found as they continue their sojourn in this new found land. Selah.

—MATILDA FISH, '28

## JAMIE'S EXPERIENCE

Jamie was a small boy about eleven years of age. He had brown eyes and red hair, and was very, very mischievous in school.

He never cared to learn how to add fractions, although his teacher was very kind and tried to help him in every way possible. However, in

his own mind Jamie resolved that he would not learn addition of fractions.

One evening he received a hearty scolding from his teacher. She told him that if he did not have his lesson on the following day, he would be taken where all bad boys go who fail to get their lessons. Still Jamie said he didn't care what would happen to him.

The next day during the period for arithmetic, a knock was heard at the door. In a minute a very ugly-looking old gentleman entered the room. It was the king of the fraction fairies. He was strong and robust, with a large round head, short neck, and brilliant black eyes. His step was firm and manly. He appeared to be about fifty years of age.

Silence reigned as the old man quietly drew nearer. All the students seemed afraid and even the teacher appeared amazed and doubtful who the visitor might be. When he reached the front of the classroom he stopped short and said in a gruff tone, "All pupils who did not have their lesson to-day must go with me to my palace and remain there until I grant them permission to return." Of course Jamie was the very one he meant. How sorry Jamie was. But it was too late now to be sorry.

The little man gave a quick turn and led Jamie from his seat to the door and out into the yard where a carriage was awaiting them.

The ride to the king's palace was very long and tiresome to poor Jamie. At last they reached the king's palace, a large, white building with great white pillars and many towers with tall spires.

Jamie was lonesome too. He could no longer talk to his mother or play with his schoolmates. His teacher was not present to help him. He had to think of all the bad things that he had ever done, and how often he had disobeyed his parents and teachers. All these things came rushing to his mind—when suddenly the carriage stopped.

Two servants came from the palace and put away the carriage and horses. Then the king led Jamie through the great yard into the palace doorway. Jamie hesitated. A large lump arose in his throat and great big tears came rolling from his eyes down to the corners of his mouth.

The king appeared to take no notice of Jamie's display of emotion and gruffly said, "Come, Jamie, you must go with me."

They entered a large room in which there were hundreds of brownies at work adding fractions. All of them were as busy and attentive as could be.

The king turned to Jamie and said, "This is what your work will be after you have seen the palace."

Then on they went, through room after room until all the rooms were visited. In the last room he saw the king's throne and a beautiful princess.

In a few minutes Jamie was directed back to the brownies' room. Here he was set to work. Difficult fractions were given to him to add. He



could not add them, so he sat down and began to cry. How he wished he had obeyed his teacher who had been so patient with him. All at once he felt the presence of someone. Of course he feared it was the gruff old king, but to his surprise he looked up and there stood the princess of fraction fairies by his side.

"What can I do for you?" she asked.

Slowly and reluctantly, Jamie answered, "The king has given me some fractions to add, but it is impossible for me to do it."

"I will help you," offered the princess. But Jamie refused to try. The princess went out of the room and left Jamie alone.

The king entered the room and said, "Haven't you added that fraction yet? If you do not get that finished in less than three minutes you will be put into a dark room all by yourself for two whole days and nights, and you shall not have one bite to eat."

The three minutes were gone, Jamie had not finished, what would happen was a question to him.

The king rang a bell and two servants came into the room. He said, "Take this little boy and put him into the——"

"Jamie! Jamie!" called his mother from the kitchen. "You surely will be late for school."

Jamie hurried away to school. From that day on Jamie tried to get his lessons as he never had tried before. The teacher was surprised at the progress Jamie made. She often wondered what had given him the inspiration.

Jamie alone knew the secret.

—DOROTHY DETWILER, '28

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7th and 8th GRADES



5th and 6th GRADES

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3rd and 4th GRADES



1st and 2nd GRADES

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## LITERARY SOCIETIES

### SHAKESPEARIAN

The Senior-Sophomore classes met in the North Room, October 28, 1924, for the purpose of organizing a literary society. Owen Leonard presided as temporary chairman, and Madge Flory acted as temporary secretary.

The following officers were elected for the year: President, Glen Cocanower; Vice-President, Richard Freed; Secretary and Treasurer, Beulah Werner; Yell Leader, Virginia Green; Sergeant-at-Arms, Robert Bechtel; Sponsor, Miss Searer.

The society decided to retain the same name that they had last year, the "Shakespearian." The Avon Society Pennant, purchased last year, was removed from the North Room. A number of good programs were given throughout the year.

—FERNE HUFFMAN, '25

## AVON

The Junior-Freshman Classes organized the Avon Literary Society, October 28, 1924. Mr. Holdeman acted as temporary chairman. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Harley Stump; Vice-President, Ray Shank; Secretary-Treasurer, Mae Yoder; Yell Leader, Virginia Freed; Chorister, Ruby Myers; Comedian, Thomas Pletcher; Sergeant-at-Arms, Joe Parcell.

On November 19 they met again. It was decided that they continue to carry the name "Avon." They chose for their motto "Esse Quam Videri" or "To Be Rather Than To Seem." Their colors were Blue and Ash.

The programs given this year have been exceptionally good.

—FERNE HUFFMAN, '25

## SENIOR PARTY 1

The Seniors were entertained by Josephine Myers and Grace Nune-maker at the home of the latter on Thursday, March 5. Not all the members were present, but those who were there reported a good time. Refreshments were served.

## SENIOR PARTY 2

The Seniors' first party was held at Leatherman's Grove, September 5, 1924. The boys built a fire and those present roasted weiners and toasted marshmallows. All had a fine time.

## SOPHOMORE PARTY 1

The Sophomores' first party was held at Leatherman's Grove early in September. It was quite well attended. The evening passed quickly in playing games and having a good social time.

## SOPHOMORE PARTY 2

The Sophomores had a weiner roast at the school house on the evening of September seventeenth. Those present reported a delightful time and one not to be forgotten soon.

## FRESHIES' WEENIE ROAST

On September 15, 1924, the first Freshman party was held at Leatherman's Grove. They left Wakarusa at seven-thirty o'clock and in a short time reached their destination. Soon a big bonfire was built by the boys. Every hungry Freshie knew that it meant weenies and buns. It was true but there was another surprise; each one was to roast marshmallows and make sandwiches with them too if he liked.

A number of games were played before and after the eats and everyone had a happy time.

—PEARL HAHN, '28



### THE GIRLS' RESERVE

The Girls' Reserve of Wakarusa is made up of high school girls from the four classes. There are sixteen members in the organization. The club is a branch of work under the leadership of the Young Women's Christian Association.

The local organization formed a Bible study class which was taught by Mrs. Harry Layer, a member of the Advisory Committee.

The purpose of the club is "to find and to give the best." The slogan of the organization is "To Face Life Squarely."

They have the following officers: President, Virginia Green; Vice-President, Virginia Freed; Secretary, Pearl Hahn; Treasurer, Mary Longenecker. Frieda Swisher sponsored the club. They have several committees: the Advisory Committee, the Program and Social Committees, and the Membership and Service Committees.

—JOSEPHENE MYERS, '25



## GIRLS' RESERVE and HI-Y PARTY

The Girls' Reserve organization of the Wakarusa High School entertained the Hi-Y boys at the home of Miss Swisher on January 17, 1925. About forty young people were present. Everyone marched into the kitchen and had his or her plate filled with everything imaginable that was good to eat.

After the group had eaten as much as possible, the guests were divided on two sides, the purple and gold. Then the entertainment committee took charge and the evening was merrily spent in games and contests. The "Purples" won the greatest number of points during the evening. The party ended with songs from the Hi-Y Boys and Girls' Reserve band. Everyone present reported an excellent time.

—VIRGINIA FREED, '26

## HI-Y and GIRLS' RESERVE PARTY

The Hi-Y Boys entertained the Girls' Reserve group at the School Building on Wednesday evening, March 11, 1925.

An elegant supper was served cafeteria style in the Domestic Science room. The girls decided then and there that the boys were pretty fair cooks.

All passed into the East Room where the evening was spent in games and contests, arranged by an entertainment committee. The evening was surely enjoyed by everyone present.

—VIRGINIA FREED, '26

## SLED PARTY and WEENIE ROAST

On the evening of January 5, the Girls' Reserve had a sled party and weenie roast. We all met at the school with our sleds. At seven-thirty a car stopped at the school house and we were told by our leader to fasten our sleds behind the car.

We had not gone very far until one of the sleds was left about a block behind the rest. In some way the sled became broken and the girls went rolling in a snowbank. They were picked up and piled on another sled.

After about an hour's sledding we were all hungry so on our return we did thorough justice to the weenies. Everybody said they had a splendid time.

—MARY LONGENECKER, '28

## VALENTINE PARTY

The Girls' Reserve were entertained at a Valentine Party given by Augusta Lehman at her home on Monday, February 16. The majority of the girls were present. The evening was spent in contests and games appropriate for Valentine Day. Fortune-telling and heart-matching were two of the big events of the evening.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess and all reported an excellent time.

—JOSEPHENE MYERS, '25

## "KID" PARTY

Miss Pearl Hahn entertained the Girls' Reserve at her home on Monday, March 2. Each girl came dressed as a little girl and indulged in children's games. Even the refreshments were such that small children like best. Everybody enjoyed themselves.

—JOSEPHENE MYERS, '25

## ST. PATRICK'S PARTY

A St. Patrick's Party and a meeting of the Girls' Reserve were combined and held at the home of Virginia Freed, March 16, 1925. Mrs. Harry Layer led the Bible Study. After a short business session of the Girls' Reserve, the evening was turned over to the hostess and the time was spent in games and contests in keeping with St. Patrick's Day.

Refreshments were served after which the party was dismissed.

—VIRGINIA FREED, '26



HI-Y CLUB



GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

"A COUPLE OF MILLION"

By Walter Ben Hare,

A Comedy in Four Acts, Presented by

THE SENIOR CLASS

of

WAKARUSA HIGH SCHOOL

Town Hall

Evenings of March 27 and 28

Dramatis Personae

Bemis Bennington	Glen Cocanower
Hon. Jeremy Wise	Harvey Werner
James Patrick Burns, "Stubby"	Owen Leonard
Professor Noah Jabb	Richard Freed
Beverly Loman	Robert Bechtel
Squire Piper	Carl Hunsberger
Fay Fairbanks	Madge Flory
Mrs. Clarice Courtenay	Ferne Huffman
Genevieve McGully	Ada Copenhagen
Sammie Bell Porter	Floy Bowers
Pink	Treva Brubaker

Bemis Bennington is left two million dollars by his uncle on condition that he shall live for one year in a town of less than five thousand inhabitants and during that period marry and earn without other assistance than his own industry and ability, the sum of five thousand dollars. Failure to accomplish this the money goes to one Professor Noah Jabb.

ACT I. The law office of Hon. Jeremy Wise, New York City. A morning in July.

ACT II. The exterior of the court house, Opaloopa, Alabama. An afternoon in October.

ACT III. Same as Act II. The next afternoon.

ACT IV. Mrs. Courtenay's sitting room, Opaloopa, Alabama. A night in April.

## JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

### "A PRAIRIE ROSE"

A Comedy-Drama of the Kansas Prairies,

Four Acts by Painton

Presented by the Junior Class of the Wakarusa H. S. at the

NEW WAKARUSA COMMUNITY SCHOOL BUILDING

Friday and Saturday Evenings, April 10 and 11

#### CHARACTERS

Silas Wilder, "A deaf old ranchman,"	Harold Rohrer
Dr. Robert Raymond, "A young Chicago physician,"	Paul Parcell
Philip Bryant, "A wealthy young Chicago lawyer,"	Ray Shank
Archie Featherhead, "A young Chicago dude,"	Carl Maurer
Bill Briggs, "A Kansas cowboy,"	Dwight Hartman
Ralph Wilder, "Younger brother of Silas,"	Dwight Hartman
Mose, "Philip Bryant's servant,"	Kenneth Shutts
Lizy Jane Slocum, "Silas' housekeeper, later his wife,"	Virginia Freed
Dorothy Deane, "Phil's sweetheart, later his wife,"	Mildred Myers
Agnes Raymond, "Robert's divorced wife,"	Mae Yoder
Rose Wilder, "The Prairie Rose, daughter of Ralph Wilder,"	Ruby Myers

SCENE—The Prairies of Kansas, and Chicago.

TIME—The Present.



ATHLETICS

## THE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The Athletic Association was organized the first weeks of school. The following officers were elected: President, Owen Leonard; Secretary-Treasurer, Richard Freed.

The same constitution and amendments were adopted as for previous years. The organization cares for the expenses of all athletic teams and also takes possession of all surplus money from the athletic games. Our Association is a member of the State Athletic Association, thereby making it possible for any of our teams to participate in any game with any other team of that organization. To become a member of our Association one must pay twenty-five cents membership dues each semester. No person of school can participate in any games if they are not members of our Association. And also any athlete not having three passing grades cannot take part in any games with other High Schools.

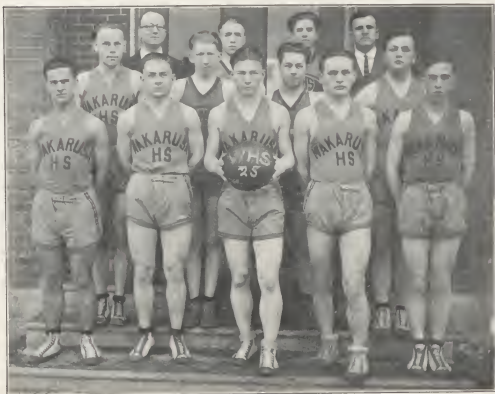
Athletics are very important in school. They build a good physical body for the athlete as well as build up the mind as a good athlete must have a clear mind and be able to think quickly. People often say that the athlete pays more attention to athletics than to his school work but this is not true. If this were true the athlete could soon not attain the standard grades and would therefore become ineligible from any game. Times have changed and men of to-day should take that into consideration. Even though there were not many athletic games when they were young they should be out to boost the younger generation and thereby make better citizens of the coming generations.

This year the "fans" of the Wakarusa High School have supported the various teams better than ever before. This has been a great factor in the success of the boys this year.

Next year Wakarusa will have a large gymnasium in which to play and should therefore have very good teams in the coming years.

Let's all be "boosters" for athletics in Wakarusa in the coming years.





## BASKET BALL

Left to Right—Top row: Mr. Strobe, coach; Ray Shank, Gerald Hunsberger, Mr. Gerber. Middle row: Kenneth Shutts, Carl Weldy, Dwight Hartman, Harvey Werner. Front row: Harold Rohrer, Paul Hostetler, Carl Hunsberger, Paul Parcell, Joe Parcell.

## BASKETBALL

Basket ball in the past ten years has been a favorite sport in Wakarusa. But due to the lack of a gymnasium in which the boys could practice, our boys have not had the chance most schools offer. Nevertheless they have developed a strong team in the past few years.

The team has been handicapped every year because of graduation but the boys and teachers are looking for a great year next year because of the new gymnasium that has been built and about all the regulars will be back next year.

The season started out this year with a game with Bremen. Although we did not have a gymnasium this year we went to Nappanee once a week the first semester and in this way obtained a little practice, but not the amount that was desired. But the boys had the fighting spirit and the last semester, through the kindness of Madison Township School, we practiced twice a week. This was another improvement.

The team was defeated several times, but this was due to lack of practice, not coaching as some think. Much of the credit must be given to Mr. Strobe, the coach, who tried hard and spent lot of his time in developing new timber. We hope that in years to come the boys will have a better chance than the boys have had in the past ten years. Let's boost the team in the future.

## COUNTY TOURNAMENT

The Elkhart County Tournament was held at Goshen, February 28 and 29. All High Schools in the county, Nappanee, Millersburg, Bristol, Middlebury, Goshen, Jamestown, New Paris, Elkhart, and Wakarusa, entered with hopes of the championship of the county.

Wakarusa drew her old rival, Nappanee, but due to "ill luck" on the part of Wakarusa, Nappanee won by a small score of 22-17.

Millersburg and Goshen played in the finals and Millersburg carried home the county championship.

## SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

The Sectional Tournament was held at Elkhart High School gymnasium March 6 and 7. Again all the teams in the county tried to win the sectional honors, and again Wakarusa drew Nappanee. This time Nappanee won by a larger score of 38-8.

Elkhart and Goshen entered the finals and Elkhart won the sectional honors and then went to the regional, and won honors again.

Wakarusa cannot be judged by the success in the number of games she won because she was greatly handicapped because of the lack of a gymnasium in which to practice. But with the new gymnasium we hope to have successful years in the future.

Let's Help Our Team Win.

## SCHEDULE

Teams—	Place of Playing	Winner	Score
W. H. S.—Bremen	Bremen	Bremen	22—17
W. H. S.—New Paris	New Paris	New Paris	22—15
W. H. S.—Bristol	Bristol	Bristol	32—19
W. H. S.—Jamestown	Elkhart	Wakarusa	24—20
W. H. S.—Edwardsburg	Edwardsburg	Edwardsburg	30—25
W. H. S.—New Carlisle	New Carlisle	New Carlisle	30—10
W. H. S.—Millersburg	Millersburg	Millersburg	34—16
W. H. S.—Madison	Madison	Wakarusa	51—28
W. H. S.—New Carlisle	Madison	Wakarusa	26—18
W. H. S.—Bristol	Madison	Bristol	36—28
W. H. S.—Middlebury	Middlebury	Middlebury	38—31
W. H. S.—Middlebury	Madison	Wakarusa	29—28
W. H. S.—Edwardsburg	Madison	Wakarusa	32—22
W. H. S.—Millersburg	Madison	Millersburg	36—26
W. H. S.—Jamestown	Madison	Wakarusa	29—27
W. H. S.—Faculty	Madison	W. H. S.	36—22

Opponents' total score, 445.

W. H. S. total score, 414

## TRACK

Track is a sport that has not been taken up to a full extent but this is due to a lack of organizing a team. In so short a time they don't get the right amount of practice. But the boys have been practicing this spring and we as a school are going to make a good showing at the meet that is to be held in April at the Goshen High School Athletic Field.



## BASE BALL

Left to Right—Top row: Gerald Hunsberger, Jesse Wise, Edward Strobe, coach. Middle row: Harry Hostetler, Morris Doering, Glen Coanower, Owen Leonard, Harvey Werner. Lower row: Harley Stump, Richard Freed, Carl Hunsberger, Paul Hostetler, Paul Parcell.

## H. S. BASE BALL

The High School has developed a strong baseball team this year; with most of the old men on the team she has gone through the season successfully, winning most of her games. But here she was also handicapped for the boys had to travel about a mile to practice and play the games.

Last fall a few games were played, but the boys are looking forward to the spring season with great hopes.

### FIRST TEAM'S SCHEDULE

Teams	Place of Playing	Winner	Score
W. H. S.—New Paris	New Paris	New Paris	6—4
W. H. S.—Jamestown	Jamestown	Wakarusa	10—3
W. H. S.—Nappanee	Nappanee	Nappanee	2—0
W. H. S.—Faculty	Wakarusa	W. H. S.	9—0
W. H. S.—Edwardsburg	Wakarusa	Wakarusa	9—2
W. H. S.—New Paris	Wakarusa	New Paris	7—4
W. H. S.—Jamestown	Wakarusa	Jamestown	5—3

Opponents' total score, 25.

Wakarusa's total score, 39.

## CALENDAR

### SEPTEMBER

"Well begun is half done."

Monday, 1.—School opens again. Schedule arranged. Everybody at work.

Tuesday, 2.—Class meetings in evidence everywhere. Officers getting busy.

Friday, 5.—Seniors have a weiner roast at Leatherman's Grove. One of the "world's greatest impersonators" gave a program in the afternoon.

Wednesday, 10.—Fair at Goshen. Many seats vacant.

Thursday, 11.—Seniors order pins and rings.

Friday, 12.—Sophomore class party.

Monday, 15.—Some shifts in the grade teaching force. Miss Lesh gets position in Goshen. School pictures taken. Everybody smile.

Monday, 22.—Rev. J. Edson Ulrey of Manchester College led chapel exercises. Seniors decide to put out an Annual.

Tuesday, 23.—Junior girls are in their second childhood.

Wednesday, 24.—Monthly tests coming in full force.

Thursday, 25.—Annual staff elected. Are petitions in order?

Friday, 26.—Elkhart Centennial has strong attraction for many students.

Monday, 29.—Miss Searer led chapel and read "The Perfect Tribute" by Mary Andrews.

### OCTOBER

"Tis not in mortals to command success;

But we'll do more, Sempronius, we'll deserve it."

Thursday, 2.—Many frowns appear; report cards are given out.

Friday, 3.—Junior class party at Parcell's woods. Freshman party at Leatherman's Grove.

Monday, 6.—Rev. H. G. Halse led chapel and gave an excellent talk.

Thursday, 9.—S. L. Scoles visits our school. Mr. Scoles was superintendent of the Wakarusa schools, 1913-1918. Senior girls back to childhood.

Friday, 10.—Students have vacation. Teachers attending North Central Association at South Bend.

Monday, 13.—Chapel exercises led by H. S. Bowers.

Wednesday, 15.—Miss Brunk ill.

Thursday, 16.—Supt. Gerber goes to Indianapolis to attend the State Teachers' Association.

Saturday, 18.—Box social for benefit of Athletic Association.

Monday, 20.—Miss Litweiler ill. Mrs. Gerber substitutes for her. Mrs. Mary Shirk is substituting for Miss Brunk.

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Friday, 24.—Dr. S. R. Dhalwani, a native of Bombay, India, gave an interesting talk on Hindu life and customs.

Monday, 27.—Miss Werntz led chapel and gave a talk on the life of Roosevelt.

Tuesday, 28.—Literary Societies organized by electing officers.

Friday, 31.—Students and teachers cast straw vote for president. Coolidge receives strong majority.

### NOVEMBER

"Attempt the end, and never stand to doubt;  
Nothing's so hard, but search will find it out."

Saturday, 1.—Hallowe'en party. Who's Who?

Monday, 3.—Rev. Fallis led chapel and gave an excellent address.

Wednesday, 5.—Seniors launch Annual sales campaign.

Friday, 7.—Shakespearian Literary Society gives the first literary program of the year. It was well rendered and enjoyed by all.

Monday, 10.—Rev. J. A. Berry, of Oklahoma, led chapel exercises and gave a very interesting and helpful talk.

Tuesday, 11.—Armistice Day.

Friday, 14.—Seniors receive their pins and rings. "Aren't they cute?"

Monday, 17.—Mr. Strobe conducts chapel exercises and gave a talk on Education. The little folks are glad to welcome Miss Brunk back again.

Wednesday, 19.—All are glad to find Miss Litweiler recovered and able to resume her work.

Friday, 21.—Freshman Agriculture boys take first place in a corn judging contest at Nappanee. Avon Literary Society gave an excellent and well rendered program.

Monday, 24.—Girls' Reserve organized. Hi-Y meeting.

Thursday, 27.—Thanksgiving vacation. No school until Monday.

### DECEMBER

"Pay goodly heed, all ye who read,  
And beware of saying, I can't,  
'Tis a cowardly word, and apt to lead  
To idleness, folly, and want."

Monday, 1.—Mr. Holdeman conducted chapel exercises. The Girls' Reserve held a meeting at the school house in the evening.

Monday, 8.—Rev. J. Edson Ulrey conducted chapel. The Civics class attend a trial at Elkhart.

Tuesday, 9.—A few cases of mumps in school.

Monday, 15.—Chapel exercises consisted of a program by the Bible class. Girls' Reserve have a Christmas party at Beulah Werner's.

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Tuesday, 16.—Parent-Teachers meeting.

Friday, 19.—Joint program by Shakespearian and Avon societies. Girls' Glee Club gave a Christmas cantata at Methodist church.

Monday, 22.—Semester examinations.

Tuesday, 23.—Examinations. Program by grades at the Town Hall. Schools are dismissed for the Christmas vacation.

### JANUARY

"An idler is a watch that wants both hands,  
As useless if it goes as when it stands."

Monday, 5.—Vacation is over and school is again in session.

Wednesday, 7.—Juniors decide to put on a play.

Thursday, 8.—Seniors decide to give their play in March.

Tuesday, 13.—Seniors go to Elkhart to have their pictures taken.

Wednesday, 14.—Girls' Reserve entertain the Hi-Y boys at the home of Miss Swisher.

Monday, 19.—Rev. Halse gave a splendid talk in chapel on "Stickability."

Tuesday, 20.—Parent-Teachers meeting and pot luck supper.

Friday, 23.—School is dismissed at two o'clock that the students may attend the District Young People's Conference at the Christian church.

Friday, 30.—Spelling contest. Frash Bros. gave a sweater to the winner.

### FEBRUARY

"Honor and fame from no condition rise;  
Act well your part, there all the honor lies."

Monday, 2.—Rev. Plank of Elkhart led chapel exercises.

Tuesday, 3.—Mr. Miller of Nappanee took a number of group pictures for the Annual.

Friday, 6.—Seniors begin rehearsing for their play.

Monday, 9.—Mr. D. A. Rheubottom conducted chapel and gave a good talk.

Monday, 16.—Dr. C. L. Amick gave a talk on health.

Friday, 20.—The Avon Literary Society gave a well rendered program.

Monday, 23.—Mr. Daniel Doering conducted chapel exercises.

Tuesday, 24.—Parent-Teachers meeting at the school.

Friday, 27.—The Shakespearian Literary Society gave a program in honor of H. W. Longfellow's birthday.



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### MARCH

"The man who consecrates his hours  
By vig'rous effort, and an honest aim,  
At once he draws the sting of life and death;  
He walks with nature; and her paths are peace."

Monday, 2.—Mr. Bowers conducted chapel exercises.

Tuesday, 3.—Miss Searer is ill.

Wednesday, 4.—We listen to the President's Inaugural Address over a radio loaned by Lienharts'.

Thursday, 5.—The Seniors are entertained at the home of Grace Nunemaker by Josephene Myers and Grace.

Monday, 9.—Dr. Eicher gives a talk on public health. Miss Searer is in school again.

Wednesday, 11.—The Hi-Y boys entertain the Girls' Reserve at the school house.

Friday, 13.—The Seniors are selling tickets for their play.

Monday, 15.—Rev. Silas Weldy gives a chapel talk.

Friday, 20.—Junior-Senior Banquet is held at Hotel Elkhart. All had a splendid time.

Monday, 23.—For chapel exercises a program was given in honor of Fanny Crosby's birthday.

Friday, 27.—Senior class play, "A Couple of Million," is given at the Town Hall.

### APRIL

"What though success will not attend on all,  
Who bravely dares must sometimes risk a fall."

Wednesday, 1.—Miss Neff is ill.

Monday, 6.—Rev. Huffman leads chapel exercises. Edna Weldy entertains the Girls' Reserve.

Wednesday, 8.—A Superintendent and Principals' Banquet is given in the new school building.

Friday, 10.—Junior class play at the new school building.

Saturday, 11.—Annual Exhibit.

Monday, 13.—Parent-Teachers' meeting. Prof. Schutz of Manchester College is speaker.

Sunday, 19.—Baccalaureate sermon is delivered by Prof. V. F. Schwalm.

Monday, 20.—Class Day exercises.

Wednesday, 22.—Grade program. Commencement exercises at the Wakarusa Community School. J. E. Hartzler of Ohio is speaker.

Friday, 24.—Alumni Banquet.

Saturday, 25.—Elkhart County Track Meet. Reading and Oratorical Contest.

## BACCALAUREATE, APRIL 19

Speaker, Rev. V. F. Schwalm  
Music by Trio, Mr. and Mrs. Wampler, Mrs. V. F. Schwalm

## CLASS DAY, APRIL 20

Wakarusa High School Song

Salutatory, Floy Bowers  
Class Oration, Glen Cocoanower  
Vocal Solo, Ferne Huffman  
Class History, Josephene Myers  
  
Reading, Richard Wagner  
Violin Solo, Paul Hostettler  
Class Motto, Harvey Werner  
Dialogue, Carl Hunsberger, John Enders  
  
Trombone and Saxophone, Richard Freed and Robert Bechtel  
Class Poem, Madge Flory  
Senior Advice to Juniors, Blanche Brenneman  
Class Prophecy, Ada Copenhaver  
  
Class Will, Treva Brubaker  
Valedictorian, Owen Leonard  
Class Song

## COMMENCEMENT, APRIL 22

Music, Girls' Glee Club  
Address, Prof. J. E. Hartzler  
Presentation of Diplomas, Prof. C. J. Gerber  
Class Song



ALUMNI

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## THE ALUMNI OF WAKARUSA HIGH SCHOOL 1898-1924

Name—	Occupation—Residence	Graduated
Albin, Chester	Office Man, Elkhart, Ind.	1917
Bechtel, Bemis	(Deceased, 1918)	1918
Bechtel, Ruth (Roose)	Goshen, Ind.	1910
Beehler, Esther (Geary)	Mishawaka, Ind.	1920
Berkey, Hugh	Dentist, Fort Wayne, Ind.	1898
Birk, John	Teacher, Madison Township	1920
Bixler, Jacob	Minister, Elkhart, Ind.	1898
Blocher, Mary	Teacher, Nappanee, Ind.	1917
Bowers, Vina	Teacher, Millersburg, Ind.	1923
Brenneman, John	Teacher, Ottumwa, Iowa	1900
Brenneman, Phoebe	Teacher, Lewellan, Nebr.	1923
Brown, Audrie	Goshen, Ind.	1918
Brown, Dorothy	Goshen, Ind.	1924
Brown, Lowell	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1922
Brown, Lucile	Teacher, Nappanee, Ind.	1919
Brown, Ray	Carpenter, Goshen, Ind.	1918
Butler, Levi	Teacher, Bloomington, Ill.	1898
Buzzard, Clara (Nelson)	Hammond, Ind.	1900
Buzzard, Florence	Hammond, Ind.	1908
Chokey, Ernest	Day Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1920
Chokey, Edward	Marine Barracks, Washington, D. C.	1921
Christner, Paul	Day Laborer, Goshen, Ind.	1921
Clay, Golda (Walters)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1909
Clay, Otis	Veterinarian, Wakarusa, Ind.	1908
Clements, Golda	Wakarusa, Ind.	1917
Coffeen, Marie (Young)	Skull Valley, Ariz.	1898
Cook, Earl	Farmer, Elkhart, Ind.	1912
Cothran, Bertha	(Deceased, 1919)	1901
Craft, Fred	Freight Agent, South Bend, Ind.	1910
Culp, Dora (Eberley)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Culp, Elizabeth (Hanson)	Williamsport, Ind.	1900
Culp, Flossa (Lockwood)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1915
Culp, Nelson	Accountant, Mishawaka, Ind.	1905
Culp, Ralph	Office Man, South Bend, Ind.	1915
Culp, Roscoe	Carpenter, Osceola, Ind.	1913
Defur, Beulah	Eaton, Ohio	1924
Dell, Harriett (Hershberger)	(Deceased, 1914)	1905
Dell, Rosa	(Deceased, 1921)	1898
Dintaman, Jay	Claim Agent, South Bend, Ind.	1913
Doering, Cleta (Hartman)	South Bend, Ind.	1917
Doering, Clio	Optician, Gary, Ind.	1915
Doering, Earl	Student, Greencastle, Ind.	1924
Doering, Harold	Mechanic, Wakarusa, Ind.	1918
Doering, Ward	Electrician, Chicago, Ill.	1916
Eby, Ellis	Day Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Eby, Kermit	Student, North Manchester, Ind.	1921
Ehret, Faye (Kalb)	Goshen, Ind.	1916

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Name—	Occupation—Residence	Graduated
Eicher, Nina (Dorn)	Fresno, California	1900
Eicher, Olen	Physician, Brooklyn, N. Y.	1908
Eicher, Orva (Snell)	Los Angeles, Calif.	1908
Elliot, Lloyd	Surgeon, Elkhart, Ind.	1901
Eshleman, Boyd	Student, Chicago, Ill.	1919
Eshleman, Charles	Machinist, Wakarusa, Ind.	1910
Eshleman, Clayton	Industrial Engineer, Chicago, Ill.	1914
Eshleman, Clyde	Dentist, Macomb, Ill.	1916
Eshleman, Ethel (Hossler)	Mishawaka, Ind.	1912
Eshleman, John	Lawyer, Geneva, Ill.	1906
Eshleman, Ira	Elkhart, Ind.	1900
Fletcher, Florence (Macbeth)	Bureau, Ill.	1913
Flory, Magdalene (Weldy)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1905
Frash, Devon	Student, Chicago, Ill.	1917
Frash, Keith	Salesman, Chicago Ill.	1921
Fox, Melvin	Farmer, Bremen, Ind.	1918
Fredericks, William	Clerk, Wakarusa, Ind.	1915
Freed, Beulah (Britt)	Chicago, Ill.	1905
Freed, Edgar	Merchant, Wakarusa, Ind.	1910
Freed, Hazel (Walters)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1909
Freed, Lillian (Steele)	Elkhart, Ind.	1917
Freed, Mary (Yoder)	Elkhart, Ind.	1915
Freed, Maxine	Student, Bluffton, Ohio	1923
Freed, Myrtle (Bauer)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1901
Freed, Vera (Gregory)	Lima, Ohio	1911
Garberick, Joy (Nehr)	Nappanee, Ind.	1920
Garberick, Leroy	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Gordon, Pearl (Jenni)	Elkhart, Ind.	1914
Gore, Pauline (Metzler)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1924
Green, Jennie	Bank Clerk, Detroit, Mich.	1922
Hahn, Clem	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Hahn, Edna (Weber)	Mishawaka, Ind.	1908
Hahn, Edward	Assistant Cashier, Mishawaka, Ind.	1911
Hahn, Elmer	Wakarusa, Ind.	1907
Hahn, Florence (Green)	Elkhart, Ind.	1922
Hahn, Frank	(Deceased 1918)	1916
Hahn, Homer	Day Laborer, Elkhart, Ind.	1924
Hahn, Melvin	Bank Clerk, South Bend, Ind.	1914
Hahn, Mildred (Cochran)	Mishawaka, Ind.	1921
Hahn, Treva	Mishawaka, Ind.	1920
Hahn, Vernon	Clerk, Wakarusa, Ind.	1911
Harrington, Albert	Telegraph Operator, Walkerton, Ind.	1920
Hartman, Alberta	Teacher, Elkhart, Ind.	1923
Hartman, Olen	Student, North Manchester, Ind.	1924
Hartzler, Alice	Wakarusa, Ind.	1923
Hartzler, Roy	Wakarusa, Ind.	1924
Herner, Edwin	Student, Goshen, Ind.	1924
Hess Lucille (Rohrer)	Goshen, Indiana	1919
Hesh, Elma	Teacher, Wilmington, Del.	1911
Holdeman, Irene (Elliott)	Millersburg, Ind.	1917

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Holdeman, Ivan	Mail Clerk, Elkhart, Ind.	1901
Holdeman, Levon	Student, Goshen, Ind.	1923
Holdeman, Nelson	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1920
Holdeman, Walter	Farmer, Oseola, Ind.	1912
Holdeman, Warren	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1911
Hollopeter, Erma	Teacher, South Bend, Ind.	1909
Hollopeter, Frances	Waterloo, Ind.	1912
Hoover, Maude (Garrick)	Connersville, Ind.	1920
Huber, Paul	Student, Goshen, Ind.	1924
Hughes, Maude	Student, Fort Wayne, Ind.	1922
Hunsberger, Andrew	Teacher, Goshen, Ind.	1917
Hunsberger, Fern	Student, Bloomington, Ind.	1920
Kalb, Thaddeus	Dentist, Goshen, Ind.	1915
Kent, Edwin	Farmer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1901
Kilmer, Harvey	Teacher, Oskaloosa, Iowa	1907
Kilmer, Lemuel	Merchant, South Bend, Ind.	1900
Knepple, Keith	Farmer, Nappanee, Ind.	1911
Knisley, Mae	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1918
Kramer, Helena (Robison)	South Bend, Ind.	1917
Kronk, Clyde	Day Laborer, Elkhart, Ind.	1917
Leatherman, Hazel (Weldy)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1918
Leatherman, Linfred	Wakarusa, Ind.	1920
Leatherman, Nelson	Wakarusa, Ind.	1908
Leatherman, Ruby (Mattern)	Nappanee, Ind.	1916
Leatherman, Vera, (Reese)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1917
Lechlitner, Dora (Fisher)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1912
Lechlitner, Hazel (Herr)	South Bend, Ind.	1912
Lechlitner, Guy	Carpenter, Ypsilanti, Mich.	1901
Lechlitner, Jasper	Carpenter, South Bend, Ind.	1914
Lechlitner, Nellie (Kollar)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1908
Lechlitner, Walter	Mechanic, Wakarusa, Ind.	1921
Lehman, Elmer	Teacher, Columbus, Ohio	1911
Lehman, Grace (Summers)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Lehman, Joyce,	Salesman, Chicago, Ill.	1920
Lehman, Theodore	Office Man, Chicago, Ill.	1922
Leonard, Lowell	Student, Indianapolis, Ind.	1922
Lienhart, Calvin	Merchant, Wakarusa, Ind.	1901
Lienhart Dewey	Merchant, Wakarusa, Ind.	1917
Lienhart, Edna (Doering)	Elkhart, Ind.	1914
Lienhart, Emma (Rheubottom)	Fostoria, Ohio	1910
Lienhart, Mabel (Fries)	South Bend, Ind.	1911
Lockwood, Roscoe	Day Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1917
Markham, Ethel	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1914
Martin Floyd	Typist, Wakarusa, Ind.	1922
Metzler, Elmer	Clerk, Wakarusa, Ind.	1920
Metzler Kathryn (Searer)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1924
Metzler, Maynard	Day Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1923
Metzler, Nina (Weaver)	North Manchester, Ind.	1910
Metzler, Paul	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1917
Metzler, Roy	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1915

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Name—	Occupation—Residence	Graduated
Metzler, Walter	Laborer, Elkhart, Ind.	1915
Miller, Josie	Los Angeles, Calif.	1916
Miller, Irvin	Minister, Goshen, Ind.	1904
McDonough, Charles	Farmer, Goshen, Ind.	1913
McDonough, Clyde	Wholesaler, Chicago, Ill.	1900
Mollenhour, Adam	Day Laborer, Elkhart, Ind.	1920
Mollenhour, Wealtha (Kronk)	Elkhart, Ind.	1917
Moyer, Golda	Elkhart, Ind.	1917
Mullett, Gladys (Davidhizar)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1922
Mumaw, Aaron	Wakarusa, Ind.	1924
Myers, Blanche	Student, North Manchester, Ind.	1924
Myers, Estella	Student, North Manchester, Ind.	1920
Myers, Frankie	Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Myers, Hallet	Carpenter, Elkhart, Ind.	1916
Myers, Harold	Salesman, Wakarusa, Ind.	1914
Myers, Leah (Stewart)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1915
Nettro, Edgar	Telegraph Operator, Stroh, Ind.	1919
Null, Cora	Clerk, Wakarusa, Ind.	1921
Null, Inez (Lechlitner)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1919
Null, Mary (Wenger)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1919
Nunemaker, Leander	Bremen, Ind.	1919
Nusbaum, Bertha (Metzler)	Elkhart, Ind.	1916
Nusbaum, Daniel	Farmer, Park Falls, Wis.	1909
Nusbaum, Elmer	Carpenter, Goshen, Ind.	1914
Nusbaum, John	Detroit, Mich.	1912
Nye, Earl	Mail Clerk, Cincinnati, O.	1913
Oster, Hazel (Longfield)	Nappanee, Ind.	1923
Oster, Otis	Day Laborer, Nappanee, Ind.	1922
Parcell, Mary	Wakarusa, Ind.	1923
Pletcher, Clifford	Bank Clerk, South Bend, Ind.	1911
Pletcher, Dove	Student, North Manchester, Ind.	1924
Pletcher, Oscar	(Deceased 1911)	
Pletcher, Ruth	Bookkeeper, Wakarusa, Ind.	1919
Reese, William	Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Renner, Merl	Day Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Rheubottom, Blaine	Dentist, Chicago, Ill.	1910
Rheubottom, Gladstone	Fostoria, O.	1909
Roeder, Glenn	Bremen, Ind.	1920
Rohr, John	Goshen, Ind.	1923
Rohrer, Glade	Student, North Manchester, Ind.	1919
Rohrer, Joe	Farmer, Goshen, Ind.	1919
Roose, Emmert	Goshen, Ind.	1920
Ruff, Nora	Teacher, Laporte, Ind.	1916
Sailor, Herbert	Laborer, Elkhart, Ind.	1920
Sailor, Virgil	Laborer, Elkhart, Ind.	1922
Schalliol, Amelia (Mochel)	Woodland, Ind.	1909
Schalliol, Thaddeus	Wakarusa, Ind.	1909
Schryer, Edith	Teacher, New Carlisle, O.	1904
Schryer, Glen	Teacher, Massilon, O.	1915
Schryer, Raymond	Bluffton, O.	1915

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Name—	Occupation—Residence	Graduated
Schwalm, Gertrude (Phillips)	Walton, Ind.	1912
Schwalm, Gleta (Whitehead)	New Paris, Ind.	1921
Schwin, Mary	Linotypist, Chicago, Ill.	1911
Searer, Clara (Beehler)	Mishawaka, Ind.	1918
Searer, Cleo (Hallman)	Guernsey, Saskatchewan, Canada	1913
Searer, Edgar	Mail Clerk, Chicago, Ill.	1906
Searer, Esther	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1910
Searer, Frances (Eby)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1917
Searer, John	Day Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1910
Searer, Lucile	Wakarusa, Ind.	1924
Searer, Mabelle	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1915
Searer, Mary (Crouse)	Vermillion, S. Dak.	1901
Searer, Mervyn	Gov't. Inspector, Chicago, Ill.	1908
Searer, Nell (Kurtz)	Goshen, Ind.	1910
Searer, Oscar	Farmer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1915
Searer, Russell	Ass't Cashier, Wakarusa, Ind.	1919
Sensenich, Omah (Romine)	South Bend, Ind.	1909
Shank, Alvin	Student, South Bend, Ind.	1923
Shank, Gladys	Wakarusa, Ind.	1924
Shank, Ora	Day Laborer, Goshen, Ind.	1919
Shirk, Norris		1921
Smeltzer, Beulah (Myers)	Knox, Ind.	1919
Smeltzer, Norman	(Deceased, 1920)	1909
Smeltzer, Olive (Eshleman)	Elkhart, Ind.	1901
Stauffer, Boyd	Wakarusa, Ind.	1906
Stauffer, Clarence	Chicago, Ill.	1914
Stauffer, Joseph	Wakarusa, Ind.	1906
Stauffer, Virgil	Hammond, Ind.	1911
Stewart, Loyal	Day Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Stewart, Mabel	Clerk, Wakarusa, Ind.	1901
Stewart, Otis	Office Man, Chicago, Ill.	1908
Stewart, Russell	Pharmacist, Wakarusa, Ind.	1915
Stewart, Vernon	Telephone Mgr., Chicago, Ill.	1906
Strope, Albert	Mishawaka, Ind.	1913
Strope, Edward	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1911
Strope, Florence	South Bend, Ind.	1920
Strope, Paul	Wakarusa, Ind.	1924
Stump, Milo	Student, Goshen, Ind.	1923
Swartz, Victor	Merchant, Goshen, Ind.	1898
Swisher, Frieda	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1919
Trisinger, Claudia (Weaver)	Foraker, Ind.	1911
Troxel, Devon	Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1921
Truex, Charles	Laborer, Elkhart, Ind.	1917
Truex, Pearl (Wogoman)	Goshen, Ind.	1916
Tschupp, Chloe (Herr)	Foraker, Ind.	1910
Wagner, Lucile (Rohrer)	North Manchester, Ind.	1919
Wagner, Winifred	Salesman, Elkhart, Ind.	1917
Walter, Flossa (Frederick)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1915
Walter, Floyd	Lumber Dealer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1912
Weaver, Edwin	Student, Goshen, Ind.	1920
Weaver, Elmer	Day Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1922

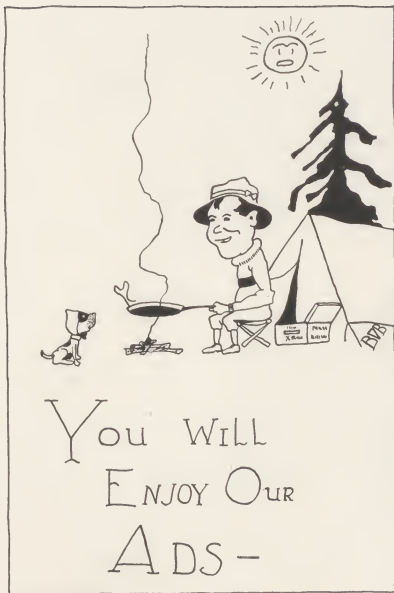


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Weaver, Jerald	Day Laborer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1924
Weldy, Allen	Teacher, Milford, Ind.	1918
Weldy, Eldon	Student, Goshen, Ind.	1924
Weldy, Elsie	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1921
Weldy, Leander	Goshen, Ind.	1901
Wenger, Amanda (Weaver)	Goshen, Ind.	1920
Wenger, Clyde	Farmer, Wakarusa, Ind.	1915
Wenger, Florence (Gerber)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1912
Wenger, Golda	Bookkeeper, Wakarusa, Ind.	1913
Wenger, Savilla	Teacher, Champaign, Ill.	1916
Wenger Warren	Farmer, Goshen, Ind.	1920
Werntz, Addie	(Deceased, 1922)	1090
Werntz, Malinda	Teacher	1898
Willard, Frances (Renner)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Wilson, Charles	Clerk, Elkhart, Ind.	1919
Wise, Frank	Accountant, Niles, Mich.	1914
Wise Mabel (Maust)	Nappanee, Ind.	1915
Witmer, Cleo (Todd)	Chester, Ill.	1912
Witmer, Martha	Teacher, Elkhart, Ind.	1916
Wolfberg, Irene	Chicago, Ill.	1913
Wolfberg, Florence (Rosenbloom)	Gary, Ind.	1915
Wolfberg, Frieda (Markel)	Chicago, Ill.	1910
Wolfberg, Jeannette (Rosenbloom)	Gary, Ind.	1917
Yoder, David	Minister, Elkhart, Ind.	1904
Yoder, Harvey	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1908
Yoder, Hattie	Wakarusa, Ind.	1921
Yoder, Huber	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1921
Yoder, Joy (Freed)	Wakarusa, Ind.	1916
Yoder, Lloyd	Laborer, Grantham, Pa.	1906
Yoder, Mary	Teacher, Wakarusa, Ind.	1923
Yoder, Merl	Clerk, Wakarusa, Ind.	1914
Yoder, Worth	Engineer, Fort Wayne, Ind.	1917

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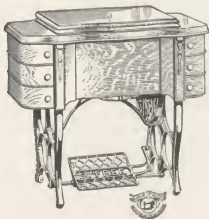
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Miss Searer—"What was the name of the other leg?"

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Harry H.—"Would you like to know the theory of kissing?"

Pearl H.—"No, I only care for applied science."

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Better to remain silent and be thought a fool than to speak and remove all doubt.

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Don't be so narrow minded that your ears rub.

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Mr. Holdeman—"Miss Litweiler, give the definition of love?"

Miss Litweiler—"Anything you can get your arms around."

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Mr. Strobe in General Science—"Ivan, how was iron discovered?"

Ivan Culp—"I heard pa say they smelt it."

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In a class meeting—"How many know why we pay class dues "

Gerald H.—"I know. I've been here longer than some of the rest."

Ida Flickinger—"Why, there's some Freshmen in the class that aren't as dumb as you are."

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Keep your temper; no one else has any use for it.

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Mr. Strobe in Vocational Guidance—"Pearl, define manners."

Pearl—"I can't define manners, because you said if I had any I didn't show them."







